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KeyPair Consulting Inc.  
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**To KeyPair Consulting Inc.:**

Acumen Security, LLC., a NVLAP accredited laboratory (NVLAP Code: 201029-0), is under contract with KeyPair Consulting Inc. to rebrand and test the KeyPair FIPS Provider for OpenSSL 3 for ZPE Systems. The FIPS 140-3 validation package for the KeyPair FIPS Provider for OpenSSL 3 is currently in the review process at the Cryptographic Module Validation Program (CMVP).

Acumen Security, LLC. expects to submit the ZPE Systems FIPS 140-3 rebrand package to the CMVP in the Q1/Q2 2023 timeframe.

Acumen is the largest laboratory in North America and has successfully completed hundreds of FIPS 140-2 validation efforts, all have resulted in the issuance of a FIPS 140-2 certificate.

This letter does not in any way imply that the aforementioned module is FIPS 140-3 validated. Moreover, Acumen cannot guarantee that this module will successfully complete the FIPS 140-3 validation process. Final decision of whether the module meets the requirements of the FIPS 140-3 standard and thereby can be considered certified rests solely with the CMVP.

Please contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Troy O Hewitt".

Troy Hewitt  
Senior Director

